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## REQUEST FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

OFFICE OF PETITIONS

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action, from November 7, 2002 to February 7, 2003.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee of \$930.00, as well as any deficiencies, and credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

Respectfully submitted,

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